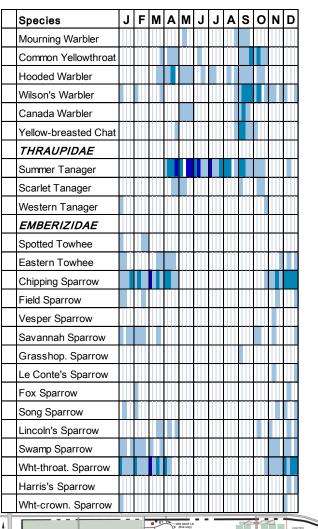
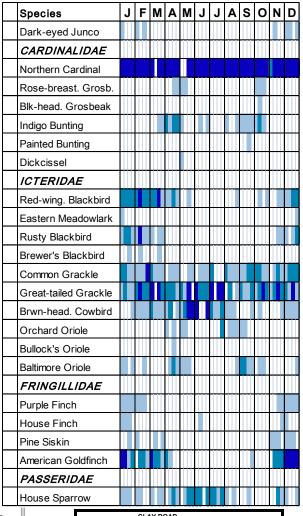
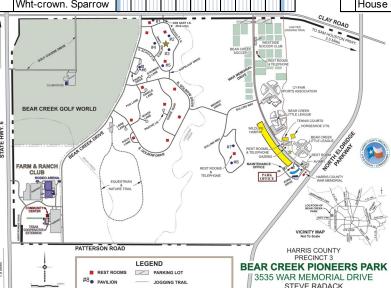
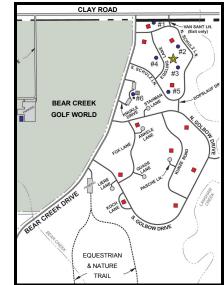
Species	J	F	M	Α	М	J	J	Α	S	0	N	ļ
Wood Thrush			Ш		Щ		Щ					
American Robin												
Mimidae												ı
Gray Catbird												
Northern Mockingbird	L											
Brown Thrasher												
Sturnidae												
European Starling			Ш					Ш				
Motcaillidae												
American Pipit												
Sprague's Pipit												
Bombycillidae												
Cedar Waxwing												
Parulidae												
Blue-winged Warbler												
Gldn-winged Warbler												1
Tennessee Warbler												1
Orange-crown Warb.												
Nashville Warbler												
Northern Parula												
Yellow Warbler												1
Chestnut-sided Warb.												1
Magnolia Warbler		Ш	Ш									1
Ylw-rumped Warbler						Ш				Γ		
Blk-throat Grn. Warb.												
Blackburnian Warb.												1
Ylw-throated Warbler			ı		Π							
Pine Warbler				Ī	П			П				
Palm Warbler												
Bay-breast. Warbler												•
Blackpoll Warbler	П											
Cerulean Warbler	П											i
Blk-and-wht. Warbler	П								П			١
American Redstart	Ш				П							١
Prothonotary Warbler												l
Worm-eating Warbler												
Swainson's Warbler	Ш						Ш					
Ovenbird			Ш				H	Ħ		$\parallel \parallel$		
North.Waterthrush	***	₩	H		Ш	Ш	₩			Ж	Ш	
Louis. Waterthrush		H			1	##				Ж		
Kentucky Warbler		Н			\mathbb{H}	H				$^{+}$		









Bird Checklist Of **Bear Creek Pioneers Park**

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Bear Creek Pioneers Park occupies part of Addicks Reservoir, created by the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers in the 1940's to prevent a repetition of a disastrous flood that damaged Houston in 1935. Harris County leased 2,154 acres of the reservoir in 1965 and created the park, which is named for one of the creeks in the area. The park and the entire reservoir are subject to flooding, but most of the land is dry most of the time. The Precinct 3 Parks headquarters is in the park, as is a small zoo, which includes several Texas owls and hawks.

The park became a favorite birding spot not long after it opened because the only Acorn Woodpecker ever found on the Upper Texas Coast was present from January 7 through Feb 24, 1968.

Today the park is known for wintering birds including Merlin, Red-breasted Nuthatch, Winter Wren, Rusty Blackbird, Purple Finch and Pine Siskin. The Merlins are often in the picnic and pavilion areas. Other birds are often found along N. Golbow Drive in the vicinity of Langham Creek. A small wooded wetland north of the intersection of S. Golbow Drive and Fox Lane is a good place for Rusty Blackbird. This spot is also good for migrating warblers in spring. Water birds including egrets, herons, White Ibis and Wood Duck are also found here. During drier periods the

equestrian and nature trail makes for a delightful bird walk.



*Checklist reflects eBird data through 08/13/09



Species	J	F	=	М	Α	М	J	J	Α	s	0	N	D
Anatidae													
Blk-bell. Whistl. Duck													
Grt. Wht-front. Goose													
Snow Goose													
Ross's Goose													
Cackling Goose													
Wood Duck													
Gadwall													
Mallard													
Mottled Duck													
Blue-winged Teal													
Northern Shoveler													
Common Goldeneye													
Odontophoridae													
Northern Bobwhite													
Podicipedidae													
Least Grebe													
Pied-billed Grebe													
Phalacrocoracidae													
Neotropic Cormorant													
Dbl-crest. Cormorant													
Anhingidae													
Anhinga													
Ardeidae													
Great Blue Heron										Ш			
Great Egret					_								
Snowy Egret													
Little Blue Heron		╽											
Tricolored Heron													
Cattle Egret								L					
Green Heron								Ш					
Blk-crown. Nt-heron													
Ylw-crown. Nt-heron													
Threskiornithidae													
White Ibis													
White-faced Ibis													
Roseate Spoonbill													
Ciconiidae													
Wood Stork													
Cathartidae													
Black Vulture													

Species	J	F	М	Α	М	J	J	Α	S	0	N	D
Turkey Vulture												
Accipitridae												
Osprey												
Swallow-tailed Kite												
White-tailed Kite												
Mississippi Kite												
Northern Harrier												
Sharp-shinned Hawk												
Cooper's Hawk												
Red-shoulder. Hawk												
Broad-winged Hawk												
Swainson's Hawk												
White-tailed Hawk												
Red-tailed Hawk												
Falconidae												
Crested Caracara												
American Kestrel												
Merlin												
Rallidae												
Common Moorhen												
American Coot												
Charadriidae												
Killdeer		П									П	
Scolopacidae	Ш	Ш										
Spotted Sandpiper												
Solitary Sandpiper												
Greater Yellowlegs												
Lesser Yellowlegs	Ш	Ш		Ш			Ш	Ш	Ш			
Upland Sandpiper	Ш	Ш	Щ	Ш		Щ	Ш	Ш	Щ		Щ	Ш
Least Sandpiper	Ш	Ш	Ш	Ш	Щ	Щ			Щ		Щ	Ш
Pectoral Sandpiper	Ш	Ш		Ш						Щ		Ш
Wilson's Snipe			Ш	Ш				Ш			Ш	
American Woodcock			Щ	Ш		Щ	Ш	Ш	Щ	Щ	Щ	
Laridae	Ш	Щ	Ш	Щ		Щ	Щ	Ш	Ш	Ш	Щ	Щ
Ring-billed Gull		Ш		Ш		Щ	Ш	Ш	Щ		Щ	Ш
Columbidae	Ш	Ш						Ш				Ш
Rock Pigeon												
Euras. Collared-Dove												
White-winged Dove												
Mourning Dove												
Inca Dove												

Species	J	F	М	Α	М	J	J	Α	s	0	N	D
Cuculidae												
Yellow-billed Cuckoo								ı				
Black-billed Cuckoo												
Strigidae												
Great Horned Owl												
Barred Owl			ı									
Caprimulgidae												
Common Nighthawk												
Chuck-will's-widow												
Apodidae												
Chimney Swift												
Trochilidae												
Ruby-throated Humm.												
Rufous Hummingbird												
Alcedinidae												
Belted Kingfisher												
Picidae												
Red-headed Woodp.												
Red-bellied Woodp.												
Ylw-bel. Sapsucker												
Red-napd Sapsucker												
Downy Woodpecker												
Hairy Woodpecker												
Northern Flicker												
Pileated Woodpecker					П						Ш	
Tyrannidae												
Olive-sided Flycatch.												
East. Wood-Pewee												
Ylw-bellied Flycatch.												
Acadian Flycatcher												
Alder Flycatcher												
Willow Flycatcher												
"Traill's" Flycatch. sp.												
Least Flycatcher												
Empidonax sp.												
Black Phoebe												
Eastern Phoebe												
Vermilion Flycatcher												
Grt. Crest. Flycatcher												
Eastern Kingbird												
Scissor-tail. Flycatch.												

Species	J	F	М	Α	М	J	J	Α	s	0	N	D
Laniidae												
Loggerhead Shrike											_	
Vireonidae												
White-eyed Vireo						L						
Bell's Vireo												
Yellow-throated Vireo												
Blue-headed Vireo												
Warbling Vireo												
Philadelphia Vireo												
Red-eyed Vireo												
Corvidae												
Blue Jay						ı						
American Crow												
Hirundinidae												
Purple Martin												
Tree Swallow												
N. Rough-wing Swal.												
Bank Swallow												
Cliff Swallow												
Barn Swallow							Ш					
Paridae												
Carolina Chickadee												
Tufted Titmouse												
Sittidae												
Red-breast. Nuthatch												
Certhiidae												
Brown Creeper												
Troglodytidae												
Carolina Wren												
House Wren												
Winter Wren	Ш											
Sedge Wren												
Regulidae												
Gldn-crowned Kinglet											Ш	
Ruby-crown. Kinglet			Ш									
Sylviidae												
Blue-gray Gnatcatch.												
Turdidae												
Eastern Bluebird												
Swainson's Thrush												
Hermit Thrush												